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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

Application of Wisconsin Power and Light Company and
Wisconsin Electric Power Company for a Certificate of Authority
to Install a Selective Catalytic Reduction System for Nitrogen
Oxide Removal on Unit 5 at the Edgewater Generating Station,
Sheboygan County, Wisconsin

5-CE-137

NOTICE OF TECHNICAL CONFERENCE

Technical Conference Date:	Thursday, April 16, 2009 – 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Conference Location:	Public Service Commission, 610 North Whitney Way, Madison, WI
This docket uses the Electronic Regulatory Filing (ERF) system.	

Questions to Applicant Due: Thursday, April 9, 2009 – 4:00 p.m.	Address Questions To: Robert Norcross, Administrator Gas and Energy Division Public Service Commission P.O. Box 7854 Madison, WI 53707-7854
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In this proceeding, the Public Service Commission (Commission) will consider the Joint Application of Wisconsin Power and Light Company and Wisconsin Electric Power Company for authority under Wis. Stat. § 196.49 and Wis. Admin. Code § PSC 112 to construct, own, and operate a Selective Catalytic Reduction (SCR) system for control of Nitrogen Oxides (NO_x) on Unit 5 at the Edgewater Generating Station in Sheboygan County, Wisconsin. Commission staff anticipates that the results of Electric Generation Expansion Analysis System (EGEAS) modeling will be relied upon significantly by the Commission as it makes its decision in this docket.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Commission will hold a technical conference on Thursday, April 16, 2009, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Amnicon Falls Hearing Room at the Public Service Commission Building, 610 North Whitney Way, Madison, Wisconsin, and continuing at times to be set by the presiding Administrative Law Judge. This building is accessible to people in wheelchairs through the Whitney Way first floor (lobby) entrance. Parking for people with disabilities is available on the south side of the building. Any person with a disability who needs additional accommodations should contact the docket coordinator listed below.

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The technical conference is being held to:

- Identify practical limitations in the scope of EGEAS modeling for this docket.
- Identify the minimum, meaningful scope of EGEAS modeling that is of value to the Commission when it makes its decision in this docket.
- Move toward achieving consensus regarding the assumptions used by the applicants, parties, and Commission staff in EGEAS modeling presented in testimony in this docket.

In preparation for the technical conference:

- The applicants shall provide their EGEAS modeling and assumptions used to the parties and Commission staff by April 2, 2009.
- Parties intending to participate in the technical conference should submit in writing any questions they may have concerning the EGEAS modeling. Questions must be submitted by 4:00 p.m. Thursday, April 9, 2009, *via* the Commission's Electronic Regulatory Filing (ERF) system.
- The applicants should be ready to answer the questions presented by the parties at the time of the technical conference.

The technical conference will be divided into three parts:

1. The first part of the technical conference will be an opportunity for the applicants to present a brief summary of their EGEAS modeling, to respond to the parties' written questions, and any follow up questions as appropriate. Additional questions will be taken by the applicants as time allows.
2. The second part of the technical conference will be for the applicants, parties, or staff to comment generally on the EGEAS modeling, which may lead to a general discussion.
3. The third part of the technical conference will be used to discuss the scope of the necessary modeling in this docket, as described above.

The technical conference is open to the public, but only parties may participate. This docket uses the Commission's ERF system. The ERF system can be accessed through the Public Service Commission's website at <http://psc.wi.gov>.

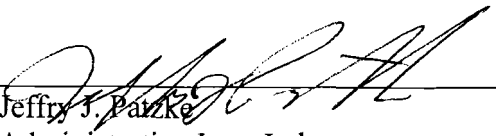
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Questions regarding this matter may be directed to docket coordinator Jim Lepinski at (608) 266-0478.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, March 27, 2009

By the Commission:


Jeffrey J. Patzke
Administrative Law Judge

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